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In re Application of:	
ALASTAIR JAMES BUCHANAN, et al.	Group Art Unit 3663
Serial No. 10/713,789	Confirmation No. 8772
Filed: November 14, 2003	Examiner Ronnie M. Mancho
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that the period of time in which to respond to the Official Letter dated October 18, 2004 be extended two (2) months, up to and including March 18, 2005 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

Please charge MacMillan, Sobanski & Todd, LLC Deposit Account No. 13-0005 in the amount of \$450.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1). A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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